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After reading Mr. Borel's memorandum proposing a CODIB subcommittee to study mechanical translation, I called him to ask whether or not he wanted a member from 00. Mr. Borel pointed out that the proposed subcommittee would be non-voting and would concern itself more with discussion and coordination of money spent by the various government departments on mechanical translation. He cited, as an example, the expenditure by Army of \$100,000 on some project in Texas which he feels was a complete waste and could have been better spent if coordinated by his proposed subcommittee. He suggested of FDD as being highly knowledgeable on 50X1 mechanical translation and felt that he would add to the committee discussions if Mr. Bagnall would make him available.